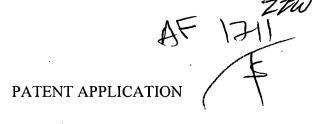
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In re Application of:)	
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	:	Group Art Unit: 1711
Appln. No.: 09/917,235)	
•	:	Confirmation No.: 8954
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For: FOAMED ISOCYANATE POLYMER)	
HAVING IMPROVED HARDNESS	:	
AND PROCESS FOR)	
PRODUCTION THEREOF	:	
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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 12, 2005 for three (3) months from August 12, 2005, to November 14, 2005.

Please charge \$1,020.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-1710 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-1710. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

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